

SAMPLE LEGO CARTOON

Teaser for a series where every week a different kit is highlighted .

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The scene begins outside a fully rendered realistic kids room. A door swings open.

We zoom in through the opening door. On the door is a sign that says:

Warning: No Groan-ups allowed beyond this point.

(or an alternative sign as a universal NO with an adult person silhouette inside)

As we enter, a box of LEGO bricks slides out from under a desk. It opens and a quick build occurs of a LEGO house. There is a catchy music theme (Lorin Swelk spec) and clicking SFX.

We zoom into the house (all LEGO) via the window to a LEGO kid's room. There is LEGO art on the walls, LEGO furniture, etc. and a LEGO kid sleeping in his LEGO bed. As he snores, his hair (or hat) lifts off in rhythm to the **snore**. The camera circles around the room and ends with the window that we have just entered from now in front of us in the background. Out the window, we can see another box slide out and it's a pirate ship! The first loud clicking sound of the quick build beginning wakes up the LEGO kid. He blinks-lifts head, turns and looks at us...we zoom closer to him..

kid: "Click!!!"

A door on the side of the kid's room opens up. It is his sisters room. We can see the interior of the room so we know that it's his sister. She walks in and says:

Sis: " Click?"

Back to the kid who emphatically says:

kid: "CLICK!!!"

The kid and his sister walk over to the window and look out. We then zoom out the window in his room as a quick build of the pirate ship continues. We fly out over and then onto the ship. The captain is pacing on deck. He stops and yells up to a pirate in a crows nest.

Captain: "Avast ye-ya peg-headed pirate-what see ye?"

Pirate up in the crows nest hollers down: " Ahoy, Captain Click. Due south be an unattended toy for thee taken. It looks like...aye, it is...a LEGO brick!

The pirates aboard celebrate and kind-of-sing in unison:

AAARRRRRR!! A LEGO Brick for the taking for another pirate we be makin' from the toys you forgets to put away."

All Pirates: **har! har har** (and they begin to dance about, laughing and har-har-haring)

Captain: **Knock it off!**

They fall apart and reassemble quickly

Captain: **Mister So-an-so- Toy dead ahead. 6 degrees ta the starboard**

Mister So-an-so at the wheel (he is british): **Starboard? is that right, Sir?**

Captain: **Of course it's right because I say so and I'm Captain Click**

Mister So-an-so speaks at the same time the pirates begin their har-har approvals of the captains last remark.

Mister So-an-so: **Very well, sir-turning right**

Pirates: **har! har har** (start dancing about again)

Captain: **Knock it off! I can't even hear meself bein' bad**

Again, they fall apart and reassemble quickly

Captain: **To the toys!**

Pirates: **To the toys! har! har har** (start dancing about again)

Captain: **Shhh!**

Pirates: **Shhh** (tip toe about deck)

We pull back as the ship heads under a couch or a table. We fade to a scene where LEGO pieces are being retrieved from couch cushions and corners. Some pirates are putting together some wacky characters and inventions.

We cut back to the kid whose looking out the window. He turns towards his sister who is standing by her door and she says:

sis: **Did you say Click?**

The kid nods and says:

" **Yup- Click ...Captain Click, the despicable, the notorious, the infamous, the...the...well, he's Captain Click that's all.**" We zoom in closer

sis: **So what's wrong with that?**

kid: **"Plenty...you know all those little LEGO pieces that you loose or forget to put away?**

sis: **I never!**

kid: **Well, whoever does. Those toys belong to Captain Click once he finds em..and what he does with all those pieces ..is..he builds his pirate crew and that isn't good."**

We fade back to the ship moving along the floor. Dolphins are leaping in and out of the carpet like its water as the ship heads towards the LEGO house. The ship pulls up next to the house and a pirate LEGO song comes up (possible Swelk/Isham spec). The pirates swing from the ropes landing on the roof and they start to deconstruct the house-throwing the bricks aboard the ship. One pirate goes through a window and comes out with the sister. She is very annoyed and speaks deliberately over the pirates **HAR HARS**

she: **Put me down. Put me down this instance. I am not pieces to be carted off like this! I'm me!**

another pirate exits with pieces of mom, dad ...(just arms and legs). The ship pulls away. We pull over head and watch as the walls to the bigger room dissolve exposing a large ocean and sky. The ship sails away and the walls close again.

We cut back to the interior of the half- built LEGO house.

Mom and Dad who are now armless and legless.(Mom is missing one leg and both arms- Dad is just a head They are hopping around the half-built house in the kitchen. The kid walks into the room watching as mom and dad hop about furiously and humorously bumping into things, etc.

kid: uh- good morning, Mom. good morning, dad.

Dad: Yeah-look, I know this is a cartoon but I don't think this is funny at all!

Mom: What- They took your sense of humor as well? she hops off screen.

Kid: Don't worry- I'll. get it together for you. I'll build a faster, better, cooler boat and catch up with that scene stealer, that arms dealer that- that Captain Click!

Dad: Normally I would try to stop you but - good luck and hurry back. I'd shake your hand but I'm sure you understand."

Meanwhile Mom reappears and has a pizza on her head .

" And I made you a snack incase you need it. It's a nice pizza.

Dad: Ha! Head cheese! now that's funny

Mom: "Well, your sense of humor is back at least."

Dad: "Maybe but my appetite is gone"

kid: " and speaking of gone-I better be..."

Mom: Of course- we must remember the plot! Good luck, son- stay out of trouble but bring back our bricks, your sister and my arms so I can hug you. Oh and be home before supper."

The kid hugs the head and then Mom. He leaves, turns and waves. walks away. we stay with mom and dad as the kid walks away.

Mom: " oh-you forgot your pizza! That boy would forget his head if it wasn't clicked on"

We fade to the kid aboard a fishing boat - outside on the floor. He begins to drive away and the walls dissolve. We're following the kid behind the wheel as he bounces over waves.

He turns looks at us as the boat is in mid air riding the surf and says:

"cool, huh?"

We pull back and he leaps over a big wave. We zoom in again and he turns to us and says:

"very cool- but watch this!"

He hot dogs the boat about with a goofy maneuver and the boat flips over.

kid: **"oh-oh- not cool"** (gargled SFX)

We splash underwater with him and follow him below. Sharks and dolphins and an under water scene appears after the bubbles clear up. A treasure chest, a skeleton waves and we begin to rise up. He rises to the top of the water surface looks around and off in the distance is a weirdly built boat with a wacky guy aboard that is shouting through a bull horn...

"Grab hold of the dolphin. He works with me. he'll bring you over here. "

A dolphin appears and the kid hangs on- turns and looks at us and says:

"Whoa-is this the start of an adventure or what?"

fade to black/ credits, etc.

VOICES

KID (a cool 12 year old boy):

SIS (a cool 8 -10 year old girl):

CAPTAIN CLICK (character type/audition required):

CROWS NEST PIRATE PEG HEAD (a pirate):

MISTER SO-AN-SO (British fop-like):

PIRATES (har):

MOM (Barbara Billingsly [Mrs. Cleaver] like):

DAD: (Ward Cleaver with one bean short of a burrito grande)

WACKY GUY ON FISHING BOAT(a silly voice/audition required):